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SUBJ: FUGITIVE STEINER FURU

REF: STATE 002056

1. THE NORWEGIAN AUTHORITIES INTEND TO PURSUE THE SUBJECT'S ALLEGED PART IN THE TRAFFICKING CONSPIRACY AND APPRECIATE THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT'S WILLINGNESS TO PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION IT HAS REGARDING THE SUBJECT.

2. THE NORWEGIANS HAVE A COPY OF THE INDICTMENT NO. 74CR887 WHICH WAS FORWARDED TO THEM THRU THE U.S. LEGAL ATTACHE IN LONDON. THEY HAVE REQUESTED ANY EVIDENCE OR DOCUMENTATION RELATIVE TO PART 63 OF THE INDICTMENT, QUOTE

ON OR ABOUT MARCH 13, 1972, IN HONG KONG, JOHN STEFFHEN THOMSEN RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY 8400 GRAMS OF HEROIN FROM STEINER FURU AND WONG SHING KONG UNQUOTE. NORWEGIAN POLICE INFORMED EMBOFF THAT FURU HAS NOT ADMITTED, OR EVEN MENTIONED THE EVENT OUTLINED IN PART 32. MOREOVER, HE HAS REFUSED TO SPEAK ABOUT ANY OTHER PERSON'S INVOLVEMENT IN THE CONSPIRACY.

3. NORWEGIANS WILL APPRECIATE RECEIVING ANY INFORMATION USG WILL PROVIDE, INCLUDING TESTIMONY OF 3 CO-CONSPIRATORS AND DEA AGENTS WHO MADE SEIZURE, DEA CHEMICAL ANALYSIS
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OF SEIZED MATERIAL AND INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS. NORWEGIAN

AURHORITIES STATE THAT THEY WILL PROVIDE UPON REQUEST,
INFORMATION OBTAINED REGARDING FURU'S ACTIVITIES IF SUCH
INFORMATION WILL ASSIST USG INVESTIGATION. UNDOUBTEDLY,
NORWEGIANS WILL VIGOROUSLY PROSECUTE FURU BECAUSE THE
SCALE OF HIS ALLEGED TRAFFICKING VASTLY EXCEEDS ANY PREVIOUS
CASE INVOLVING NORWEGIAN CITIZENS.
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